

## United States Department of Agriculture Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service Plant Protection & Quarantine 4700 River Road Riverdale, MD 20737

# Permit to Move Live Plant Pests, Noxious Weeds, and Soil

Importation

## Regulated by 7 CFR 360

	Thi	s permit was gene	rated electronic	ally via the ePermits system			
PERMITTEE NA	AME: Nhi	n Lam		PERMIT NUMBER:	P526P-20-01079		
ORGANIZATION:		m Fresh Produce L	LC	APPLICATION NUMBER:	P526-191216-014		
ADDRESS:		3 East 49th Street		<b>FACILITY NUMBER:</b>	N/A		
	Ver	non, CA 90058					
MAILING ADDRESS:		3 East 49th Street		HAND CARRY:	No		
	Ver	non, CA 90058					
	,	, 211,0000		DATE ISSUED:	03/16/2020		
PHONE:	323	-583-1128					
FAX:				<b>EXPIRES:</b>	03/16/2023		
DESTINATION:		m Fresh Produce L	LC, 4593 East 49				
		Street, Vernon, CA 90058					
<b>DESIGNATED PORTS:</b>		, El Segundo					
Under the conditions specified, this permit authorizes the following:							
Regulated	Life Stage(s	<u>Intended Use</u>	<b>Shipment</b>	Originally Collected	<u>Culture</u>		
<u>Article</u>			<b>Origins</b>		<b>Designation</b>		
Sagittaria	Plant Parts,	Consumption -	China, Asia	ia Originally Collected from Foreign and tuber			
sagittifolia	Seeds	Human	•	Domestic Locations	-		

### PERMIT GUIDANCE

- 1) Receipt or use of foreign isolates or samples from countries under sanctions requires specific permission from the U.S. Department of Treasury; please refer to <a href="https://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Programs/Pages/Programs.aspx">https://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Programs/Pages/Programs.aspx</a>
- 2) This permit does not authorize movement or release into the environment of genetically engineered organisms produced with the regulated organisms described in this permit. Importation, interstate movement, and environmental release of genetically engineered plant pests require a different permit issued under regulations at 7 CFR part 340. Any unauthorized interstate movement or environmental release, including accidental release, of a regulated GE organism would be a violation of those regulations. Additional guidance and contact information for APHIS Biotechnology Regulatory Services, can be found at: https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/biotechnology.
- 3) This permit does not fulfill the requirements of other federal or state regulatory authorities. Please contact the appropriate agencies, such as the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, the Centers for Disease Control and

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Prevention, the APHIS Veterinary Services unit, the APHIS Biotechnology Regulatory Services, or your State's Department of Agriculture to ensure proper permitting.

4) If you are considering renewal of this permit, an application should be submitted at least 90 days prior to the expiration date of this permit to ensure continued coverage. Permits requiring containment facilities may take a longer period of time to process.

#### PERMIT CONDITIONS

USDA-APHIS issues this permit to Nhin Lam of Farm Fresh Produce for the importation of Sagittaria sagittifolia from China/Asia to California for Commercial re-sale and use as a vegetable for human consumption ONLY.

- 1. This permit is issued by the United States Department of Agriculture's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS). It conveys APHIS regulations and requirements for the material(s) listed on this permit. It does not reduce or eliminate your legal duty and responsibility to comply with all other applicable Federal and State regulatory requirements.
  - The permit number or a copy of the permit must accompany the shipment.
  - You must be an individual at least 18 years old, or legal entity such as partnership, corporation, association, or joint venture.
  - You are legally responsible for complying with all permit requirements and permit conditions.
  - The regulated material and shipping container(s) are subject to inspection by officials of Custom and Border Protection (CBP) and APHIS. CBP or APHIS officials may require the shipment to be treated, seized, re-exported, or destroyed (in part or whole). You will be responsible for expenses.
  - If you violate any applicable laws associated with this permit, you may face substantial civil or criminal penalties. We may cancel all current permits and deny future permit applications.
  - Without prior notice and during reasonable hours, authorized Federal and State Regulators must be allowed to inspect the conditions associated with the regulated materials/organisms authorized under this permit.

#### 2. The permit holder must:

"maintain a valid PPQ 526 permit so long as the regulated materials/organisms are alive or viable,

"not assign or transfer this permit to other persons without APHIS PPQ authorization,

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"maintain an official permanent work assignment, residence, or affiliation at the address on this permit,

"notify the Pest Permit Staff as soon as possible of any change in the permit holder's work assignment, residence, or affiliation,

"notify the Pest Permit Staff of the receipt of unauthorized and/or misdirected shipments of regulated materials/organisms,

"adequately mitigate environmental impacts resulting from unauthorized release of regulated materials/organisms and notify the Pest Permit staff immediately if one occurs.

Notifications to the Pest Permit Staff must be made via 866-524-5421 or pest.permits@aphis.usda.gov within one business day of the event triggering a notification.

- 3. The regulated material must be visually free of diseases, insects, or other plant pests and/or contaminants.
- 4. Shipping containers must be sturdy and sealed to prevent the release of the regulated material.
- 5. After PPQ issues this 526 permit, you will need to request Red/White labels (PPQ Form 599) at least 5 days in advance of your shipping date. If you applied for your permit online using ePermits, you may request the labels using the My Shipments/Labels feature. Otherwise, send your request to Redandwhitelabelrequest@usda.gov. All email requests must come from the permit holder or designee. If requested by the designee, the permit holder must be copied on all requests. Specify the approved port as listed on the permit and the total number of labels needed. You may request additional labels the same way.

Packages without labels on the exterior may be refused entry.

#### Review label instructions at:

https://www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/planthealth/import-information/permits/plant-pests/or ganisms-shipping-requirements

You are responsible for instructing your shipper to carefully follow these instructions. You are responsible for each import shipping label issued under this permit.

- 6. This permit does not authorize hand carrying (baggage, personal belongings, auto, etc.). Any organisms imported by these methods will be seized and destroyed.
- 7. The permit holder will notify in writing (e.g., via a receipt) to all recipients that all regulated material under this permit must be sold/used only in the STATE listed on the permit. No regulated material may be transported to another STATE without a valid PPQ 526 permit.

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# **END OF PERMIT CONDITIONS**

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